



U.S. Department
of Transportation

**Pipeline and Hazardous
Materials Safety Administration**

June 23, 2006

400 Seventh Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20590

DOT-SP 14363

EXPIRATION DATE: December 31, 2006

1. GRANTEE: L.A. Chemical
Southgate, CA
2. PURPOSE AND LIMITATION: This emergency special permit authorizes the one-time transportation in commerce by motor vehicle of seven freight containers containing 140 flexible IBCs containing Ammonium fluoride, 6.1, PG III that are wet and may leak liquid hazardous material. This special permit provides no relief from the Hazardous Materials Regulations other than as specifically stated herein.
 - b. The safety analyses performed in development of this special permit only considered the hazards and risks associated with transportation in commerce.
 - c. Party status will not be granted to this special permit.
3. REGULATORY SYSTEM AFFECTED: 49 CFR Parts 106, 107 and 171-180.
4. REGULATIONS FROM WHICH EXEMPTED: 49 CFR § 173.240
5. BASIS: This emergency special permit is based on the application of L.A. Chemical dated June 22, 2006, submitted in accordance with § 107.117 and a determination that it is necessary to prevent significant injury to persons or property.

6. HAZARDOUS MATERIALS (49 CFR § 172.101):

Hazardous Materials Description			
Proper shipping name	Hazard Class/ Division	Identification Number	Packing Group
Ammonium fluoride	6.1	UN2505	III

7. SAFETY CONTROL MEASURES:

a. PACKAGING - Prescribed packagings are 13H4 flexible IBCs contained in freight containers, packaged with sufficient absorbent material to contain any liquid further packed in a sealed freight container. The freight container openings must be lined with an impervious material to prevent the leakage of any liquefied materials from within the container.

b. OPERATIONAL CONTROLS - Transportation is authorized one-way only from Wilmington, CA to a repackaging facility in Southgate, CA. In addition, an authorized spill response and clean up team from Ancon Marine will escort the vehicles during transportation.

8. SPECIAL PROVISIONS:

a. A current copy of this special permit must be maintained at each facility where the package is offered for transportation.

b. MARKING - Each freight container must be marked "DOT-SP 14363 in accordance with § 172.302(c).

9. MODES OF TRANSPORTATION AUTHORIZED: Motor Vehicle.10. MODAL REQUIREMENTS: A current copy of this special permit must be carried aboard each motor vehicle used to transport packages covered by this special permit.

11. COMPLIANCE: Failure by a person to comply with any of the following may result in suspension or revocation of this special permit and penalties prescribed by the Federal hazardous materials transportation law, 49 U.S.C. 5101 et seq:

- o All terms and conditions prescribed in this special permit and the Hazardous Materials Regulations, 49 CFR Parts 171-180.
- o Persons operating under the terms of this special permit must comply with the security plan requirement in Subpart I of Part 172 of the HMR, when applicable.
- o Registration required by § 107.601 et seq., when applicable.

Each "Hazmat employee", as defined in § 171.8, who performs a function subject to this special permit must receive training on the requirements and conditions of this special permit in addition to the training required by §§ 172.700 through 172.704.

No person may use or apply this special permit, including display of its number, when this special permit has expired or is otherwise no longer in effect.

Under Title VII of the Safe, Accountable, Flexible, Efficient Transportation Equity Act: A Legacy for Users (SAFETEA-LU)- 'The Hazardous Materials Safety and Security Reauthorization Act of 2005' (Pub. L. 109-59), 119 Stat. 1144 (August 10, 2005), amended the Federal hazardous materials transportation law by changing the term 'exemption' to 'special permit' and authorizes a special permit to be granted up to two years for new special permits and up to four years for renewals.

12. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS: Shipments or operations conducted under this special permit are subject to the Hazardous Materials Incident Reporting requirements specified in 49 CFR §§ 171.15 - Immediate notice of certain hazardous materials incidents, and 171.16 - Detailed hazardous

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materials incident reports. In addition, the grantee(s) of this special permit must notify the Associate Administrator for Hazardous Materials Safety, in writing, of any incident involving a package, shipment or operation conducted under terms of this special permit.

Issued in Washington, D.C.:



for Robert A. McGuire
Associate Administrator
for Hazardous Materials Safety

Address all inquiries to: Associate Administrator for Hazardous Materials Safety, Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration, Department of Transportation, Washington, D.C. 20590. Attention: PHH-31.

Copies of this special permit may be obtained by accessing the Hazardous Materials Safety Homepage at http://hazmat.dot.gov/sp_app/special_permits/spec_perm_index.htm Photo reproductions and legible reductions of this special permit are permitted. Any alteration of this special permit is prohibited.

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